Will the broadcast flag interfere with consumers ability to make copies of DTV content for their personal use, either on personal video recorders or removable media?

Please allow me to use my own television and digital playback devices for my personal use.

Would the digital flag interfere with consumers ability to send DTV content across networks, such as home digital networks connecting digital set top boxes, digital recorders, digital servers and digital display devices? The digital flag would inhibit my choice or method of recording or viewing digital material.

Would the broadcast flag requirement limit consumers ability to use their existing electronic equipment (equipment not built to look for the flag) or make it difficult to use older components with new equipment that is compliant with the broadcast flag standard?

This digital/broadcast flag would force me to spend additional money on my present electronic systems.

Would a broadcast flag requirement limit the development of future equipment providing consumers with new options? The broadcast/digital flag is a way for the providers to delay the start of digital services.

What will be the cost impact, if any, that a broadcast flag requirement would have on consumer electronics equipment?

I would need to replace many of my audio and video systems.

Other Comments:

Please do not allow the digital/broadcast flags into the digital market.